# St Quintin Centre for Disabled Children and Young People



2a Wallingford Avenue, London W10 6QB

**Inspection date**19 July 2019
Previous inspection date
10 August 2015

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met Previous inspection: Met

# Summary of key findings for parents

#### This provision meets requirements

- Safeguarding is effective. All staff understand very well the need to keep every child safe. They undergo regular training and know how to identify concerns. Staff carry out regular risk assessments for outings. They understand how to keep children safe online and are aware of potential harm from radicalisation.
- All staff understand how to support children's learning and development. Activities focus on supporting children's communication and language skills, social skills and emotional development. Children enjoy activities that include art, craft, messy play, sand, water and growing plants. Children have access to a well-equipped outside area that challenges and stimulates their interest and learning.
- Senior staff strive for excellence within the provision at all times. They seek the opinions of staff, parents and children. They have a clear vision for the future, reaching out to the wider community to achieve this aim. There is a very effective system in place for ongoing staff training, which promotes positive outcomes for children.
- The setting has very close links with parents and families. Staff are aware of the needs of the wider community. They work extremely closely with other agencies involved in family welfare, offering excellent support and respite.
- Children's needs are met very effectively. Meeting children's health needs, educational needs and emotional needs is paramount to staff.

There were no children present when this inspection took place. The findings in this report are based on evidence gathered from discussions with those who care for the children and an inspection of the premises, equipment and relevant documentation. Where there are no children present, no judgement is made on the quality of the early years provision as there is no reliable evidence on which to assess its impact on children. The report states whether the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

### **Inspection activities**

- The inspector held discussions with the provider and senior manager.
- The inspector sampled online documentation for staff safeguarding, Disclosure and Barring Service checks and first-aid training.
- The inspector looked at children's learning journals and next steps for development.
- The inspector looked at parent appraisals of the provision in line with staff evaluation and improvements.
- The inspector had a tour of the premises both inside and outside.

#### **Inspector**

Heather Rick

## **Setting details**

Unique reference number EY408104

**Local authority** Kensington and Chelsea

**Inspection number** 10104685

**Type of provision** Childcare on non-domestic premises

Registers Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare

Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

**Day care type**Out-of-school day care

Age range of children 0 - 0

Total number of places 20

Number of children on roll 0

Name of registered person Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea

Registered person unique

reference number

RP517519

**Date of previous inspection** 10 August 2015

Telephone number 07800 835832

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